

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Xavier GIBERT et al.

Attn: PCT Branch

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For: FOOTWEAR ITEM COMPRISING BUILT-IN DYNAMIC ELEMENT

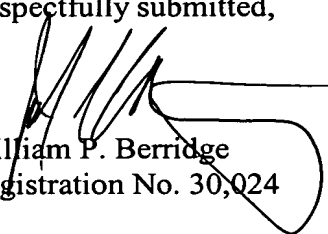
**TRANSLATION OF THE ANNEXES TO THE
INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT**

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Sir:

Attached hereto is a translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report (Form PCT/IPEA/409). The attached translated material replaces the claims.

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